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AGRICULTURE OF ECUADOR AND U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

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1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING LETTER TO SR. ING.
SUAREZ, DIRECTOR GENERAL DE DESAROLLO FORESTAL, MINISTERIO
DE AGRICULTURA Y GANADERIA, QUITO.

SR. ING. TEODORO SUAREZ
DIRECTOR GENERAL DE LA DESAROLLO FORESTAL
DIRECCION DE DESAROLLO FORESTAL
MINISTERIO DE AGRICULTURA Y GANADERIA
QUITO, ECUADOR

DEAR SENOR ING. SUAREZ:

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IN FOLLOW-UP TO RECENT PHONE COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN THE
DIRECCION DE DESAROLLO FORESTAL AND THE U.S. FISH AND WILD-
LIFE SERVICE WE HAVE ORGANIZED A TEAM OF SPECIALISTS TO
VISIT ECUADOR DURING THE PERIOD SEPTEMBER 24 - OCTOBER 7 TO
DEVELOP PLANS FOR THE YASUNI RESEARCH STATION AND TO DISCUSS

OTHER PROJECTS UNDER THE LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING APPROVED BY

OUR AGENCIES. THE TEAM HOPES TO SPEND THE FIRST WEEK OF THE VISIT IN THE YASUNI REGION TO IDENTIFY POTENTIAL SITES FOR THE RESEARCH STATION AND HAS REQUESTED COORDINATION AND ACCOMMODATIONS FROM THE INSTITUTO LINGUISTICO DE VERANO IN LIMON COCHA.

THE SECOND WEEK WILL BE SPEND IN QUITO IN FOLLOW-UP DISCUSSIONS ON COOPERATIVE PROJECT DEVELOPMENT.

THE TEAM WILL CONSIST OF THE FOLLOWING SPECIALISTS:

DR. ALFRED GARDNER RESEARCH BIOLOGIST
U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

DR. BRUCE MACBRYDE BOTANIST
U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

DR. DAVID PEARSON TROPICAL ECOLOGIST
PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY

DR. NICHOLAS SMYTHE TROPICAL ECOLOGIST
SMITHSONIAN TROPICAL RESEARCH CENTER, PANAMA

DR. CURT FREESE AND DR. PEARSON PLAN TO ARRIVE QUITO ON SEPTEMBER 20 TO MAKE PRELEMINARY ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE TEAM'S WORK SCHEDULE.
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WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO A PRODUCTIVE FIELD SESSION WITH YOU AND YOUR STAFF IN ECUADOR LATER THIS MONTH. SINCERELY, GERARD BERTRAND, CHIEF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS STAFF, FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE.

FOR EMBASSY: USFWS REQUESTS EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN MAKING RESERVATIONS FOR SINGLE ROOMS FOR TEAM MEMBERS AT HOTEL COLON IN QUITO.

RESERVATIONS FOR DR. CURT FREESE WILL BE NEEDED FOR INCLUSIVE DATES SEPTEMBER 20-22. INCLUSIVE DATES IN QUITO FOR DR. PEARSON ARE SEPTEMBER 20-25. DRS. GARDNER, SMYTHE, AND MACBRYDE ALL PLAN TO ARRIVE QUITO SEPTEMBER 24 AND WILL NEED RESERVATIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 24-25. THE TEAM WILL RETURN FROM FIELDWORK SEPTEMBER 29, THUS RESERVATIONS WILL BE ALSO NEEDED FOR DRS. GARDNER, MACBRYDE, PEARSON, AND

SMYTHE FOR SEPTEMBER 29-OCTOBER 7.

FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE APPRECIATES EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN THIS MATTER. GERARD BERTRAND. CHRISTOPHER

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